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SUBJ: TTBT/PNE NEGOTIATIONS: EXCEPTIONS

ROUND VI - TTBT/PNE DELEGATION MESSAGE NO. 130

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1. IN BRIEF RESTRICTED MEETING (STOESSEL/BUCHHEIM/MARTIN/TATISTCHEFF - MOROKHOV/TIMERBAEV/BEZUMOV/BOCHAROV/POGODIN) PRIOR TO PLENARY MARCH 15, STOESSEL MADE STATEMENT MOSCOW 3902 WITH AIM OF DEFINITELY CLOSING OUT DISCUSSION OF EXCEPTIONS ISSUE.

2. MOROKHOV SAID SOVIET SIDE "TAKES NOTE OF YOUR STATEMENT AND WILL REPORT TO US POSITION TO THE PROPER AUTHORITIES." HE WENT ON TO SAY THAT HE WOULD HAVE LIKED TO HEAR ARGUMENTATION ON THIS ISSUE, BUT HE WAS USED TO HEARING FLAT REJECTIONS. "FOR OUR PART, THE SOVIET SIDE HAS PUT FORWARD A SUBSTANTIATED BASIS FOR OUR VIEW."

3. IT WAS AGREED TO END THIS MEETING, AND BEGIN THE PLENARY.

4. AT START OF WG I MEETING 11 AM MARCH 15, TIMERBAEV APPRISED, PER PARA 2 REFTL, OF VERY NEGATIVE US REACTION TO MOROKHOV MARCH 12 REMARKS. TIMBERHAEV SAID HE COULD SAY NOTHING ON THIS ISSUE.

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